
WEATHER FORECAST
 Fair Thursday; Friday partly
 cloudy, probably showers.

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COUNCILMEN'S OUTING

At the meeting of the City Council Monday night an invitation was received from the owners of the boat "Outing" to take an outing on either Wednesday or Saturday night. The Council accepted unanimously for Wednesday night but at the appointed time only the Mayor and his wife had shown up. It is thought by the best authorities that the remainder of the Council was so busy looking after the affairs of the city that they forgot entirely about the trip. We hope so but at the same time we are sorry that the owners of the "Outing" were so disappointed.

GOES TO NEW YORK

Mr. Daniel Gottlieb for several years the efficient head of the Tailoring Department of D. Hechinger & Co., resigned his position with the above firm last Saturday and will leave in a few days for New York. Mrs. Gottlieb and the children will remain in this city about two weeks before leaving for the East. The Ledger with the many friends in this city regret the loss of this excellent family.

SUTTON STREET BRICKING

Work of bricking lower Sutton street proceeded very slowly yesterday on account of the contractors being unable to secure sand for the sand bed for the bricks. If the sand could have been procured the street would have almost been completed.

Miss Ethel Pollitt of Covington is ill, threatened with typhoid fever at the home of Miss Maude Moody at Rectorville.



Your Eyes You can't treat them too well. Have us to examine them. If we find you don't need glasses you are that much ahead. Broken lenses duplicated.

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 Dr. George Devine Every Day.
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KILLS TWO MEN

Negro on C. & O. Passenger Train
 Does Some Shooting With Fatal
 Effects—Witnesses Held Here.

Yesterday morning about 9 o'clock a fatal shooting occurred at Russell, Ky., on C. & O. passenger train No. 17 which arrives in this city at 9:30. The train was over an hour late yesterday.

There were two construction cars on the train containing eight negroes. The cars were bound for Sikeam, Ky., where the bridge for the C. & O. Northern is being built. At Ashland the negroes had looked upon wine and were feeling rather gay by the time they reached Ashland. There were several negro women in the crowd and an argument was begun over one of them. Three negroes were engaged in the argument, when one of them drew a revolver and shot at the other two four times. The negroes jumped from the train and fell dead, each having received two bullets in his body.

After the shooting the murderer jumped from the train and ran to the west end of Russell yards where he caught local train No. 99. Word was sent to points along the line to be on the lookout for the man and at Green-up he was captured. When he was taken he was in the company of two men, both of whom were white. The negro was searched but the revolver was not found, so the Maysville authorities were notified at once to get the two white men. Detective Thomas Stewart and Chief Mackey met the local at the coal docks and there captured the men.

The men gave their names as Lewis Crooks and Albert Jennings. They said that the negro had been with them and that they were afraid of him as he looked like a bad one. They were tried yesterday afternoon in Squire Fred W. Bauer's Court on the charge of riding trains unlawfully and fined \$9.15 apiece. They will be held in the local jail as witnesses in the case.

Miss Annabelle Lewis has returned to her home on West Second street after an extended trip to Bay View, Mich.



"Is a Fighting Mood!"

SMITH is New York Day

FLOOD

Following Cloudburst Sweeps Lives
 and Property Down West Virginia
 Valley—Various Reports Estimate
 Death Tolls at From
 Eleven to 150 and
 Place Damage at
 Not Less Than
 \$1,000,000.

Charleston, W. Va., August 9.—A cloudburst swept the Cabin Creek and Coal River valley today, spreading devastation throughout the district. Advice tonight were meager owing to interrupted wire and rail communication but various reports estimated the loss of life at from 11 to 150 persons. The property damage was placed at no less than \$1,000,000.

Two companies of the second regiment, West Virginia national guard, in camp at Kanawha City, near here, was tonight ordered to the flood section with tents and supplies by Governor Hatfield. Relief trains are being made up here and will depart within a few hours.

Eleven Bodies Recovered
 Local officials of the Virginia Power Company asserted the loss of life would reach 150. Eleven bodies have so far been recovered, three at Cabin Creek Junction and eight at Dry Branch. Scores of houses have been swept down the two streams, which, swollen by the heavy rains, overflowed their banks carrying everything before them.

More than thirty houses were counted passing one point in Cabin Creek today. Many of the houses crashed into the pier of the C. & O. railroad bridge which had been earlier washed out and demolished. Late today a boy was seen on top of one of the houses. An effort to rescue him failed and he disappeared in the water.

Picnic Train Marooned
 The damage to railroads, coal, oil and gas properties through out the state is especially heavy. Practically every coal operation as well as the plant and lines of the Virginia Power Company are idle.

Two passenger trains, one of which is a Sunday school excursion train carrying 300 persons, are marooned near St. Albans and efforts to reach them have failed.

A telephone message from Tavern Creek at 10:30 o'clock tonight, from Howard Smith, chief of the special agents on duty in the stricken district, was to the effect that at that time the rescuers had been able to penetrate as far as Miami, six miles from the mouth of the creek. Everything up to that hour was in ruins and the situation was growing worse as the waters advanced toward the headwaters.

The cloudburst occurred at the headwaters of Paint and Cabin creeks and Coal river, and the torrent which surged down Coal river swept its banks almost clean of villages, while the Kanawha river rose several feet, carrying on its crest houses and buildings of all kinds.

The Cabin creek valley has a population of about 15,000 persons. Advice received here indicate about one-third of this number are homeless.

Plans are being made here to send relief trains into the flood district.

THE OLD RELIABLE

The Germantown Fair will be held on August 23, 24, 25 and 26 and the officers of this splendid organization are planning for a record breaking crowd during the entire meeting. The Fair program is now ready for distribution. Copies can be had at the Ledger office.

EXTRACTS FROM MR. EDISON'S MESSAGE

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 THOMAS A. EDISON.

CHILD BREAKS ARM

Geneva, the bright little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hayes of West Second street fell from the steps leading to her home and broke her arm.

Social Events

Misses Carrie and Lillian Muse entertained a number of their friends at their home on East Third street last evening in honor of Miss Alma Williams of Ewing, Miss Myrtle Wicks of Dayton, Ohio, and Miss Grace Morris of Covington. The guests enjoyed themselves to a very late hour and departing declared the Misses Muse excellent hostesses.

RESIDENCE ALMOST FINISHED

The residence of Mr. M. F. Coughlin in East Second street is rapidly nearing completion. Nothing remains to be done except some of the inside work. The home makes a splendid appearance and adds much to the looks of the street.

NOTICE

Owing to an advance of 1 cent in price we are paying 29 cents for BUTTER FAT. MODEL CREAMERY.

Rev. William Jones, Sunday School Missionary, will preach the opening sermon at Mower Park Campmeeting Thursday 7:30 p. m., August 10th. Brother Jones will be the preacher for next Sunday. Do not fail to hear him.

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WASH GOODS DISPLAY

We are showing styles, fully representative of all summer fashions in wash goods. Oxford, piques and cotton gabardines for separate skirts in stripes, plain and block patterns. Voiles, batistes, crepes, not only plain but in novel seed effects, tape stripes drawn work, cords and embroidered effects. Organdies are also here in floral effects. Scores of new and exclusive patterns from 12½¢ to \$1.25 and more per yard. Plenty of prices between.

1852

HUNT'S

1916

What Did Robinson Crusoe Do With Friday on Saturday Night?

He brought him down to Merz Bros. and bought for him at reduced prices a pair of shoes, a suit of athletic underwear for 39c, a pair of silk socks for 15c, an Eagle silk shirt for \$1.25 and some red tab collars for 5c.

On these purchases he received tickets on the \$25 talking machine and Robinson and Friday left the store in a happy mood for they realized how much they had gained by their stay in the store.

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